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APPLICANT(S): Bergmann

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EXAMINER: Sharon Wen

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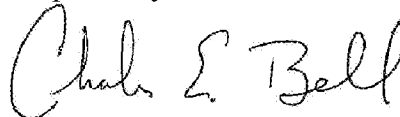
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Applicant hereby requests an extension of three months for filing a Response to the Office Action dated November 28, 2007 in the above-referenced application and submits the corresponding fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1935, Reference No. 2582.021.

This extension is sought to establish the co-pendency between the above-referenced application and a Continuation Application concurrently filed on even date herewith under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b).

Respectfully submitted,



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